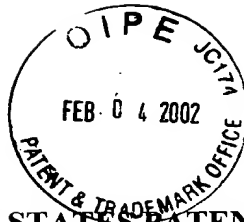


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Robert J. BURNS, et al.

ART UNIT: 2161

SERIAL NO.: 09/931,404

EXAMINER:

FILING DATE: August 17, 2001

FOR: METHOD FOR STRUCTURING, PRICING AND SETTLING A CURRENT
MORTGAGE PRICE INDICATOR CONTRACT

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a ☐ one ☒ two ☐ three ☐ four ☐ five

☐ second ☐ third ☐ fourth ☐ fifth (a ____-month extension and fee having been filed on _____)

month extension of time be granted to February 3, 2002 for:

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☒ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated: October 3, 2001.
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐

The required fee of \$400.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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